STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1042 -06

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 21, 2006

RE: S.B. No. 2581 S.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 2581, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BACKLOG IN UNSERVED ARREST WARRANTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to reduce the backlog of unserved arrest warrants by authorizing the Attorney General to promulgate rules to allow retired police and public safety officers to serve arrest warrants.

The Honolulu Police Department and Mothers Against Drunk Driving-Hawaii testified in support this bill. The Department of the Honolulu Prosecuting Attorney supported the intent of this measure. The Attorney General and Office of the Public Defender opposed this bill.

Your Committee finds that this bill will allow for an immediate solution to reduce the backlog until more information about the problem is obtained and long-term solutions are recommended.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2581, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs,

KEN ITO, Chair



## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-third Legislature

## Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.:  SB 2581 SD 1	Date: March 16, 2006			
Committee Referral: PSM, JUD	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended  Pass, with amendments  Recommit				
PSM Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
	Ayes	Ayes (WK)	Ivays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)	/			
2. CHONG, Pono (VC) 3. LEE, Marilyn B.				
4. NAKASONE, Bob	<del></del>			
5. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.				
6. SOUKI, Joseph M.				
7. TANAKA, Kameo	1/			
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.	/			
9. MOSES, Mark S.				
10. STONEBRAKER, Bud				
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TOTAL	6			3
The recommendation is: Adopted				
☐ Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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